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Title: METHOD OF ISOLATING AND CULTURING MESENCHYMAL STEM CELLS DERIVED FROM CRYOPRESERVED UMBILICAL CORD BLOOD	Customer No. 26694 PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Madam:

In response to the Office Action dated May 19, 2008, Applicants submit the following amendment and response.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this correspondence.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 4 of this correspondence.